

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to direct the Board of Education, during its next regularly scheduled revision of the Science Standards*  
3 *of Learning and Curriculum Framework, to include in such Science Standards of Learning and*  
4 *Curriculum Framework instructional materials on climate change and environmental literacy and*  
5 *provide guidance to school boards on the selection of such instructional materials.*

6 [H 1037]

7 Approved

8 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**

9 **1. § 1.** *That the Board of Education (the Board) shall, during its next regularly scheduled revision of the*  
10 *Science Standards of Learning and Curriculum Framework and in its subsequent selection of associated*  
11 *textbooks and high-quality instructional materials, (i) include instructional materials on climate change and*  
12 *environmental literacy that are based on and include peer-reviewed scientific sources relating to changes in*  
13 *weather and climate patterns over time, the impacts of human activity on changes in weather and climate*  
14 *patterns, and the effects of climate change on people and resources and (ii) provide to each school board*  
15 *guidance on the selection of instructional materials on climate change and environmental literacy in*  
16 *accordance with clause (i).*